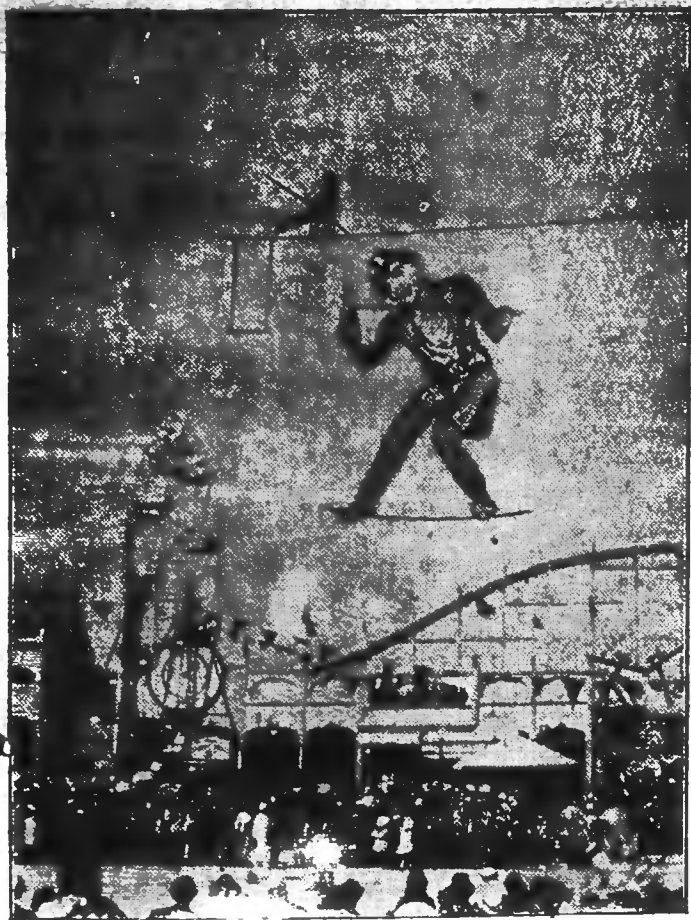


AT V.F.W. FESTIVAL NEXT WEEK



The Great Calvert, pictured above, will perform nightly on the midway at the V.F.W.'s Golden Harvest Festival, at the city Fairgrounds all next week. Calvert risks his life each night performing death defying feats 75 feet in midair without the use of a net.

V.F.W. Carnival Here Next Week At Fairgrounds

Golden Harvest Festival featuring Gate City Shows, riding devices and concessions, will be on the fairgrounds here all next week, September 9-14, under the sponsorship of Blue Ridge Mountain post of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The V. F. W. carnival committee composed of R. Ivey Moore, chairman, Harry Kerley, and N. W. Bumgarner, in announcing the event stated that plenty of entertainment and amusement will be furnished for people of all ages.

In addition to the rides and shows, there will be thrilling free acts, featuring a noted high wire artist who will perform on a wire 75 feet from the ground. This act has been shown all over the world and has been widely acclaimed.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post will use the profits from the festival to renovate and equip the post's club rooms. Plans call for making two reading rooms and for installation of games for entertainment of veterans and young people.

Saturday September 14, will be school children's day and all school children will be admitted to the grounds free between one and five p. m.

Rites Tomorrow For Mrs. Fulp, 47

Funeral for Mrs. Bertha Valeria Fulp, 47, of Walkertown, Route 1, wife of H. H. Fulp, who died yesterday at her home, will be held at the home at 10 a. m. tomorrow and at Enon Baptist church in Yadkin county at 11 a. m.

The body will remain at Vogler's Chapel until 2 p. m. today when it will be carried to the home.

Rev. Ernest Blevins, Rev. A. B. Hayes, and Rev. J. H. Kapp will be in charge of services. Burial will be in the church graveyard.

Mrs. Fulp had been in declining health for 15 months, but was seriously ill for only 30 minutes. She was born in Wilkes county, the daughter of Senter and Clara Blalock Elledge. She lived near Hays until September, 1927, when she married Mr. Fulp and moved to Winston-Salem. Since that time she has lived in or near Winston-Salem. She was a member of Bethel Baptist church in Wilkes county.

Mrs. Fulp is survived by her husband, four children and the following brothers and sisters: D. M. and I. F. Elledge, North Wilkesboro; H. E. Elledge, Luther Lodge, Mrs. Clarence Miller and Mrs. Millard Brown, of Hays; and Mrs. Vina Fulp, of Walkertown route 1.

Mrs. Paul McGinnis and children, Joanne and Paul, Jr., have returned to this city after spending three months in Washington, D. C.

TWO MEN HELD ON CHARGE OF KIDNAPING GIRL FROM WILKES

Rufus Mitchell To Conduct Tent Revival In City

Evangelist Rufus Mitchell, a widely known evangelist, will begin a tent revival in a big tent located on the Blair block in this city Friday night. Services will be held each evening, 7:30, and the public has a most cordial invitation to attend.

Jason B. South Last Rites Today

Funeral service for Jason B. South, 23-year-old citizen of the Wilbar community, who died on Monday at the Baptist hospital in Winston-Salem, was held today, two p. m., at the family cemetery near his home. Rev. Quincy Yates conducted the last rites.

Surviving Mr. South are his wife, Mrs. Gladys South, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. South, two brothers and one sister, Roy and Arvil South and Mrs. Leslie Mae Miller, all of Wilbar.

Picnic At Double Creek Church 8th

The Home Demonstration club of Abshers and Joyne will hold their yearly picnic at Double Creek church on Sunday September 8th, beginning at 10:00 a. m. It will be an all-day affair. Dinner will be on the ground and there will be games for all ages between 12:00 and 2:00 p. m. A number of groups of singers are expected to be there. Everybody near or far is invited to be there and to bring a well-filled basket, and enjoy the day together.

Revival Services At Mountain View

Revival services are in progress this week at Mountain View Baptist church. Rev. Glenn Huffman, pastor, is preaching in the meeting each evening at 7:30. The revival is being well attended and much interest is being shown. The public has a most cordial invitation to all the services.

Musical Program At New Hope 8th

The Young People's choir of New Hope Baptist church at Purlear will sponsor a musical program Sunday night, Sept. 8th. The program will consist of solos, duets, quartets, and a pantomime, "My Faith Looks Up To Thee". Several other churches are participating in this program. Everyone invited. An offering will be taken for the new piano fund.

Miss Joye Miller is spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Miller, of North Wilkesboro Route 3. Miss Miller has just completed a year's graduate work in Hospital Dietetics at Riley Hospital, University of Indiana, Indianapolis, Ind. She will return to Indianapolis, where she has accepted a position in the Dietary department of the Methodist Hospital of that city.

17-Year-Old Girl Drops Dead While Walking On Road

Miss Myrtle Cleary Victim Of Heart Attack Near Home Tuesday Evening

Miss Myrtle Cleary, 17-year-old girl apparently in the best of health, dropped dead Tuesday evening while walking a short distance to the home of an aunt. Coroner I. M. Myers, who investigated the death, said she died of a heart attack.

Miss Cleary was walking a distance of a few hundred feet with another member of the family when she complained of a severe pain in her abdomen. She mentioned the pain a second time and fell dead in the road. Surviving Miss Cleary are her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jonah Cleary, two brothers and five sisters, all of whom reside at their home in Walnut Grove township.

Funeral service will be held on Friday, 11 a. m., at Piney Creek church. Rev. L. E. Sparks will conduct the service.

Marvin C. Bell, 33 of Yadkin county, was ordered held without bond on charges of kidnaping Peggy Shore, pretty 15-year-old brunette of Elkin, on August 23, when given a preliminary hearing before U. S. Commissioner M. W. Mackie at Yadkinville Monday.

Bell and Ralph Vernon Litteral, 34, of Winston-Salem, now serving a 60-day road sentence for a liquor law violation imposed in municipal court in Winston-Salem, will be tried at the November term of U. S. district court in that city.

The two men will be tried under the Lindberg Law which makes it a capital offense if the kidnap victim is taken across a state line.

Bell's hearing before Commissioner Mackie was brief. F. B. I. Agent J. G. Mackie, of Winston-Salem, told the court Bell "admitted he aided in kidnaping Peggy Shore at Elkin and carried her to Tennessee where he left her."

Bell was arrested at his home in the Antioch community of Yadkin county, not far from Yadkinville, at 1 a. m. Monday. F. B. I. agents and state highway patrolmen surrounded his home, where he was living with his wife and one child.

Waiting until Bell had retired, the officers knocked on the front door of the home. Bell answered the call. The officers took him into custody without a struggle.

Litteral has a wife and three children living in Winston-Salem. He has been tried 38 times for various offenses and has served several sentences on the state roads and one term in the state prison. He was at a state prison camp, but it is understood he was removed to the central prison at Raleigh at the request of the F. B. I.

Officers said Bell and Litteral kidnaped Peggy Shore of the Pleasant Hill community of Wilkes county, two and one-half miles west of Elkin, about 11:30 p. m., August 23. They said the two men abused the girl during the wild ride through Western North Carolina and ordered her out of the car near Bristol, Tenn. She returned to her home August 21 and was in a hospital on two occasions for treatment.

Officers related the events in the case as follows: Peggy had been to a watermelon feast in Elkin with two other girls on the night of August 23. She and her two companions were accosted on the streets of Elkin by two men, later identified as Bell and Litteral. They refused to enter the car with the men.

Peggy and her two girl friends, got on the bus to go to their homes. The two girls left the bus at a lighted filling station. Peggy said she saw Bell and Litteral following the bus in their car with the lights out. After leaving the bus, Peggy said the two men followed her to a lonely spot and then grabbed her about 11:30 p. m. She screamed and one of the men placed his hand over her mouth and nose. She was thrown bodily into the car.

During the wild ride through Western North Carolina and Tennessee, the men abused her and tried to force her to drink whiskey. She refused.

After more abuse and a discussion as to whether they should kill her, Peggy said the two men gave her \$7 for bus fare back to Elkin and ejected her from the car about 5:30 a. m., near Bristol, Tenn. They told her to get home anyway she could.

Almost exhausted from her ordeal, Peggy walked to a nearby farm home where she faintd. The farm family revived her and took her to Bristol, where she caught a bus for Elkin, arriving at 5:30 p. m.

Going straight to her home, Peggy told her mother of her story and displayed cuts and bruises on her leg and about the lips. She was taken to an Elkin hospital for treatment of her injuries and for a highly nervous condition.

Peggy returned home, but a few days later went back to the hospital for treatment for hysteria. She is improving rapidly now at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Cook returned Monday from Atlanta, Ga., after spending several days with Mr. Cook's parents. While there they attended the graduation exercises of Miss Sara Cook at the University of Georgia.

2 Bound To Court On Liquor Charge

Maek Shew and Simon Shew, of the Shew community of Wilkes county, were bound to federal court Wednesday on charge of manufacturing illicit liquor.

The Shews were given a hearing before U. S. Commissioner Ralph Davis after they were arrested by Alcohol Tax Unit agents. Bonds were filed for appearance at the November term of federal court in Wilkesboro.

SUPPORT THE Y. M. C. A.

Member Boston's Fabulous Red Sox Team Interested In Having Professional Baseball Team Here

MACE BROWN COMING HERE AFTER WORLD SERIES TO TALK PLANS FOR CLASS D BASEBALL IN NORTH WILKESBORO NEXT SEASON

Mace Brown, a pitcher on the American League Championship Boston Red Sox team, is interested in becoming owner, part owner or owner-manager of a class D league baseball team in North Wilkesboro.

This information was received here this week in a letter from Brown to Glenn R. Andrews, chairman of the Recreation committee of the Wilkes Chamber of Commerce, which has plans for professional baseball high on the list of desired recreational facilities for the Wilkesboros and Wilkes county.

The letter was in reply to an inquiry several days ago from Mr. Andrews to Pitcher Brown, asking whether or not he would be interested in owning and managing a team here in the Blue Ridge league next season. Text of Mr. Brown's letter follows:

"I received your letter today and was very glad to have heard from you.

"I am very much interested in owning baseball in a good class D ball club and I will contact you as soon as the World Series is over and I return to my home in Greensboro. I would like to come up to North Wilkesboro and talk to you at that time.

"I have been in the major leagues for twelve years and I know if we do get together I can promise you a good ball club as I have plenty of connections to obtain talent.

"Would you write me and let me know if it is agreeable for me to get in touch with you sometime in October?"

It was learned today from

Robert Huffman Hurt In Accident

Robert Huffman, well known Wilkesboro citizen, was badly injured Tuesday night when his car ran off highway 421, three miles east of Wilkesboro and overturned.

Mr. Huffman received severe cuts on his left hand, his face, and right leg. In addition, there were severe bruises on many parts of his body. He is now a patient at the Wilkes hospital and today was reported to be improving satisfactorily.

Brushy Mountain Baptists Annual Meet Sept. 17-18

Association Will Have Two-Day Session At Pleasant Grove Baptist Church

Brushy Mountain Baptist association, which embraces many churches in the central and western parts of Wilkes county, will hold its annual session on Tuesday and Wednesday, September 17 and 18, at Pleasant Grove church.

T. E. Story, moderator, and J. F. Jordan, clerk, have announced outline of the two-day program, which is expected to be one of the most interesting in the history of Brushy Mountain Baptists.

The sessions will open at ten a. m. on September 16 with devotional by Rev. C. J. Poole, followed by a brief business session.

"Christian Education" will be the theme of the morning program. Sunday school, Baptist Training Union and Woman's Missionary Union reports will be given by J. F. Jordan, Miss Lunda Hendren and Mrs. R. T. McNeil, respectively, and will be followed by discussions.

Report on conferences and schools will be given by Rev. A. W. Eller and Rev. Howard J. Ford will give the report on pastoral relationships.

Dr. David E. Browning, pastor of the First Baptist church in North Wilkesboro, will deliver the introductory sermon.

Rev. John Wells will conduct the afternoon devotions. Report and discussion on "Christian Education in the State and South" will be by Mrs. E. S. Spiver and Dr. Kelly Barnette. Miss Cora McNeill will report on "Education Through Christian Literature."

"Missions" will be the second topic of the association and Miss Madge Lewis will give the association report, which will be followed by the state missions report by Rev. O. W. Edmisten. Rev. W. S. Luck will report on "Home and Foreign Missions". Rev. Latt Beshears and Dr. L. L. Bradley will give the report and discussion on the Co-operative Program.

The afternoon program will close with report and discussion of "Social Service and Civic Righteousness" by Rev. E. W. Hauss.

Wednesday's Program

The second day's session will open at ten a. m. by Dr. L. L. Carpenter, who will conduct the devotions.

"Benevolent Institutions" will be the program theme and Mrs. John Andrews will render the orphange report, which will be discussed by a representative from Mills Home, Thomasville.

"World Relief" will be the topic for Mrs. G. T. Mitchell. Rev. Glenn Huffman will give the Baptist hospital report, which will be discussed by Dr. W. K. McGee. Following report of committees, Rev. W. N. Brookshire, pastor of the Wilkesboro Methodist church, will deliver a sermon.

The afternoon program will open with devotions by Rev. W. S. Luck. After a business session, Dr. H. G. Duncan will give the history of Pleasant Grove Baptist church.

2 Small Fires In Local Plants

Fires At American And Oak Furniture Company Plants Extinguished

Two fires, potentially disastrous, were extinguished in local industrial plants this week before much damage was done.

On Wednesday night, nine o'clock, fire of undetermined origin broke out in the shavings bin at the boiler room of the Oak Furniture company plant. The fire department put out the fire and damage was slight.

On Tuesday afternoon a fire was discovered at a switchbox on the upper floor of the American Furniture company plant. Workmen and firemen had little trouble extinguishing the blaze.

Girl Scout Leaders Will Meet Monday

Girl Scout Leaders Association will meet Monday evening, 7:30, in the Duke Power Co. office. Officers will be elected and attendance of all Girl Scout leaders is especially desired.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Homer C. Wellborn left this week to make their home in Cincinnati, Ohio, where Mr. Wellborn will study at the conservatory of music. Mrs. Wellborn is the former Miss Elsie Nichols, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morton and daughters, Maryland and Sue, of Alexandria, Ind., spent the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Emerson and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Brewer. While in the state they also visited relatives in Charlotte and Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin A. Miller and children, of Fayetteville, Arkansas, have returned to their home after spending a month in North Carolina visiting Mr. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Miller, of North Wilkesboro Route 3, and relatives of Mrs. Miller in Eastern North Carolina. Mr. Miller is Librarian of the University of Arkansas.

Miss Haille Waugh has returned home from New York City and Rahway, N. J., where she visited Mrs. William T. Ritchie. Mr. and Mrs. Ritchie and their cousin, Mrs. Thomas, drove down to North Carolina for Labor Day week-end, visiting friends and relatives in Wilkesboro and Pores Knob, and Miss Waugh accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donoh Hank, Jr., and two daughters, Sally and Judybeth, of Washington, D. C., are spending the week here with Mrs. Hank's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert R. Combs. On Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock service at the First Methodist church, Dr. Combs, assisted by his son, Mr. Bill Combs, who is a ministerial student at Duke University, baptized Judybeth, who was born in May of this year at Washington. Mr. Bill Combs returns to the University on the 22nd of this month to resume his studies.

Whiteway Laundry Will Open Monday

Gordon Forester, Owner; Walter D. Dunlap To Be Superintendent

Whiteway Laundry, newest addition to business interests in North Wilkesboro, will open on Monday, September 9, Gordon Forester, owner, said today.

Modern equipment has been secured and installed in quarters in the eastern part of the town. Mr. Forester has secured Walter D. Dunlap, formerly of Rock Hill, S. C., to be superintendent of the new laundry. Mr. Dunlap has 12 years experience in the laundry business, in addition to operating laundries while in the army. Mr. Dunlap, his wife and son, Richard, will move to this city soon.

SEAMAN DICK UNDERWOOD HAS RECEIVED DISCHARGE

Dick Underwood, seaman first class, has received his discharge from the navy and has returned home. Dick, who was stationed in New York, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Underwood.